SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the provisions of this Act shall not be construed to extend or apply to the County Commissioners in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act shall take effect with the next term of office.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.

CHAPTER 410

(House Bill 654)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 315(j) of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Motor Vehicles," subtitle "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways," to allow specified motor vehicles transporting liquid milk to receive an allowance above the Class of registration weight or above gross weight limits, subject to a total weight limitation.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 315(j) of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Motor Vehicles," subtitle "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

315.

(j) Whenever upon measuring or weighing of a vehicle and load, the vehicle is found to be in violation of the law, said vehicle must be unloaded until the vehicle complies with the applicable law, before the vehicle can be moved and all material or cargo so unloaded shall be cared for by the owner or operator of such vehicle at the risk of such owner or operator; provided, however, on first offense by a person operating a vehicle which has an indivisible load, the vehicle may be allowed to proceed after obtaining a permit from the State Roads Commission, but on second or subsequent offense, the vehicle carrying the indivisible load must return to the place of entry or origin in the State after obtaining a permit from the State Roads Commission to do so; and provided, further, that a vehicle violating the law and carrying as its full load perishable products shall for first offense only by the person operating the vehicle be allowed to proceed to the destination, but for a second or subsequent offense within any one calendar year, said products must be unloaded before the vehicle can be moved. Vehicles bearing valid registration plates issued by this State under the provisions of Section 81(f), (g) and (h) of this Article and transporting liquid milk, in bulk from the producer, may receive a five percent tolerance on the applicable registration or statutory gross weight limit, but in no event shall the registration or statutory gross weight limit including the five percent tolerance exceed a total of 68,250 pounds.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.